

Remarks

Claim 9 was said to be allowable. Accordingly, Claim 9 has been rewritten in independent form. (Note, this amendment to claim 9 was previously submitted as part of our Jan 14, 2008 response. However, as that was not entered by the examiner, we are showing it as being currently amended).

Claim 7 has been amended to depend from allowable claim 9.

All other claims have been cancelled.

We thank the examiner for speaking with the undersigned (Jeff Measures) on Wed Feb. 13, 2008 regarding the Advisory Action. We reached agreement that the application would be allowed if restricted to claims 9 and 7 (with claim 7 amended to depend from claim 9).

Accordingly, the application is ready for allowance, and a notice of allowance is hereby requested.

No fee is believed due for this submission. However, Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to debit any required fee from Deposit Account No. 501593, in the name of Borden Ladner Gervais LLP. The Commissioner is further authorized to debit any additional amount required, and to credit any overpayment to the above-noted deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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